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PATENT Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 5725.0960-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	(max 2 in 2000)
Jean MONDET et al.	Group Art Unit: 1617
Application No.: 09/964,751) Examiner: E. J. Webman
Filed: September 28, 2001	Confirmation No.: 3105
For: COSMETIC COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING AT LEAST ONE CONTINUOUS LIQUID FATTY PHASE STRUCTURED WITH POLYURETHANES, POLYURETHANEUREAS, AND POLYUREAS	
Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	

SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

Applicants respond to the Office Action dated January 15, 2004, the period for reply having been extended to July 15, 2004, by a petition for a five (5) month extension of time and payment of the \$2010.00 fee filed herewith. Please examine this application in view of the following remarks.

I. <u>Status of the Claims</u>

Sir:

Claims 1-77 are pending in this application. Claims 73-76 have been withdrawn from further consideration by the Examiner. No claims have been added or amended by this Response.

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II. <u>Election of Species Requirement</u>

Further in response to the election of species requirement issued in the April 28, 2003, Office Action, which was clarified in the January 15, 2004, Office Action, Applicants elect, with traverse, a polymer of formula II, wherein;

 A_1 equals A_2 , which are both derived from a monomer A1-XH, which is a monoalcohol with linear or branched alkyl chains having 1 to 80 carbon atoms;

OC-NH-R-NH-CO is derived from a diisocyanate monomer: 4,4'-dicyclo-hexylméthane diisocyanate; and

X-D-X is derived from a monomer, H-X-D-X-H, which is chosen from a dimer diol having 36 carbon atoms.

Applicants continue to respectfully traverse the Examiner's restriction/election requirement for the reasons of record.

If the Examiner needs any further information in response to this requirement, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned by telephone for prompt resolution.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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